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GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Revenue (Endowments – III) Department - Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams – Amendment to the Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams Employees Service Rules, 1989 – General Administration – Final Notification - Orders – Issued.

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REVENUE (ENDOWMENTS- III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 603 **Dated:12-09-2022**

Read the following:

1. Resolution No. 105, dated: 21.04.2011 of TTD Board.Letter Roc.No.B3/471/2008, dated:14.07.2011.
2. G.O.Ms.No. 485,Revenue (Endt.III)Dept., dt. 29.11.2019.
3. Govt., Memo.No.12609/Endts.III.A2/2018, dt. 29.11.2019.
4. From E.O., TTD Lr. No Roc.No.B3/471/2008, dated:01/2020.
5. G.O. Ms. No. 55, Rev(Endts.III) Dept., dated 04.03.2021
6. From the E.O. TTD Lr. No B3/471/2008 dated 14/7/2021

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ORDER:

Whereas in the reference sixth read above, a Preliminary Notification was issued inviting objections/suggestions for amendments to the Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams Employees Service Rules, 1989 in respect of certain posts in Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams Accounts Department.

2) And Whereas, in the reference seventh read above, the Executive Officer, Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams has furnished a detailed report duly placing the details of representations received from in-service candidates and the remarks thereon, as follows:

a) Smt V. Bhanu Priya & Sri Rohit Verma, Assistant Accounts Officers: Requested to provide Paper Code of the Departmental Examination (Subordinate Audit Service Examination) prescribed for the post of Accounts Officer (Cost Accounts) to be conducted by the APPSC.

Remarks: The request of the individuals was examined in detail with reference to the Notifications issued earlier by the APPSC & by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG), as well. It was found that no such examination i.e., the Subordinate Audit Service Examination is being conducted by the APPSC. However, it is being conducted by the Comptroller and Auditor General of India (CAG), twice in a year w.e.f. 2021, for the post of Assistant Audit/Accounts Officer (Group-B, Gazetted Officer). It was also observed that the persons working in different capacities in Accounts Officer / Audit Officer in different Pay Levels as defined by the Union Government are alone eligible for this examination. As such, it may not be applicable to the State Government employees and the employees of TTD as well.
Hence, the Government are therefore requested to substitute the Subordinate Audit Service Examination prescribed for the post of Accounts Officer (Cost Accounts) by the Subordinate Accounts Service Examination Paper-I & II, which is being conducted by the APPSC.

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b) Sri E. Leela Sagar, Assistant Accounts Officer: Requested to consider the qualification of Cost Accountancy for the post of Accounts Officer or Accounts Officer (Cost Accounts).

Remarks: According to the existing qualifications prescribed and published in the Preliminary Notification issued in G.O.Ms.No.55, dt.4/3/2021; the post of Accounts Officer shall be filled up by way of promotion from the category of Assistant Accounts Officer who put in a service of not less than six years and possessing Final Charted Accountancy Test.

Whereas, the post of Accounts Officer (Cost Accounts) shall be filled up by way of promotion from the category of Assistant Accounts Officer who put in six years of practical experience in Accounts and passed Subordinate Audit Service Examination (now proposed to be replaced by Subordinate Accounts Service Examination Paper-I & II) and Accounts Test for Executive Officer. In other words, the duties & responsibilities of the post of A.O (Cost Accounts) can be carried out by an AAO possessing C.A or ICWA and it might provide equal opportunity to the AAOs working in TTD with CA / ICWA as per their seniority.

The working strength of the Assistant Accounts Officers in TTD is 10 only. Out of this working strength, only one (1) is possessing Cost Accountancy. If the post of Accounts Officer (Cost Accountants) specifically earmarked for the Cost Account holders, it is unjustified to the remaining Charted Accountants which is higher qualification who manage / deal the Cost Accounts also. Hence, the request of Sri E. Leela Sagar, AAO may not be tenable.

Apart from the above, the following differences were observed in between the proposal submitted by the TTD with the approval of TTD Board and Notification published by the Government thereon, as detailed below against each of the post.

a) Deputy Chief Accounts Officer: Proposal was submitted for 'loan of service' from Government when there is no qualified person available from TTD service in feeder category. But, in contrary to above, the Government have allowed the in-service TTD Employees for promotion from feeder category, if no one is opted for this post either from T&A Department, or Finance Department. As this condition may close the gates of promotion for in-service candidates and lead to stagnate years together, when there is a channel of promotion to the post of CAO. Hence, the Government are requested to re-consider the matter.

b) Accounts Officer: The Government have prescribed ratio between 'by loan of service' & 'by promotion' to the post of Accounts Officer shall be 1:1, for which TTD did not submit any such proposal. Needs re-consideration.

c) Senior Accountant: Proposal was submitted for both the methods i.e., by direct recruitment & by promotion for this post by prescribing ratio

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between direct recruitment & promotion as 1:3, But, the method 'by direct recruitment' is only published in the preliminary notification. As there is a feeder category post of Junior Accountant with 100% direct recruitment, it is justifiable to provide a promotion channel to them. Hence, the promotion method was also prescribed to avoid future applications for amendment to these provisions from the feeder category individuals. Hence, the Government are, requested to provide the method of 'by promotion' also, to this posts as was proposed in the proposal dated. 14.01.2020.

3. The Government, after careful examination, have accepted the remarks and suggestions of the Executive Officer Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams and decided to issue the Final Notification in the matter.

4. Accordingly, the following notification will be published in an Extraordinary Issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated:12-09-2022.

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (4) of section 107 read with section 153 of the Andhra Pradesh Charitable and Hindu Religious Institutions and Endowments Act, 1987 (Act No. 30 of 1987), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams Employees service Rules, 1989 issued in G.O.Ms.No.1060, Revenue (Endts-I) Department, dated the 24th October, 1989 and published in the rules supplement to part-I, Extraordinary of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette dated the 26th October, 1989, as subsequently amended from time to time, the same having been previously issued in G.O.Ms.No.55, Rev(Endts.III) Dept., Dt:04.03.2021 as required under sub-section (1) of section 153 of the said Act.

AMENDMENTS

In the said Rules,-

1. In Annexure- I, under Branch "I- GENERAL ADMINISTRATION", after Serial Numbers 3 (b), 12, 14 and 16 in column (1), and in its corresponding columns (3) and (4), the following shall be inserted, namely,-

S. No	Branch	Category	Post
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
3(c)		Deputy Chief Accounts Officer	Deputy Chief Accounts Officer
12(a)		Assistant Accounts Officer	Assistant Accounts Officer
14(a)		Senior Accountant	Senior Accountant
16(a)		Junior Accountant	Junior Accountant

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2. In Annexure-II,-

(i) against Sl.Nos.3(b),(4)& (5) in column (1) and in its corresponding columns (2), (3) and (4), the following shall be substituted, namely,-

Sl. No	**Name of the post**	**Method of recruitment**	**Qualifications**
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
3 (b)	"Chief Accounts Officer	By Direct Recruitment	(i) Must be a Chartered Accountant and (ii) Must have seven years of practical experience in Financial Accountancy in an Industrial Organization or in a firm of Chartered Accounts of reputation. (iii) Must have sound knowledge of corporate finance taxation and modern business management methods. (iv) Must not have completed forty years of age.
		By Promotion	By promotion from the cadre of Deputy Chief Accounts Officer: (i)Must be a Chartered Accountant. (ii) Must have put in not less than five years of service as Deputy Chief Accounts Officer.
4	Accounts Officer (Cost Accounts)	By Promotion	By Promotion from the category of Assistant Accounts Officer (i) Must have passed Subordinate Accounts Service Examination –Paper-I&II (ii)Must have practical experience in Accounts for six years. (iii)Must have passed Accounts Test for Executive Officer.

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5	Accounts Officer	By loan of service	Deputing from Govt., in T & A Department in the cadre of **D.D/A.S to Govt., in** Finance Department.
		By promotion	By promotion from the cadre of Asst. Accounts Officer: (i) Must have passed final Chartered Accountancy Test. (ii) Must have put in not less than six years of service as Asst. Accounts Officer."

(ii) after Sl.Nos.3(b),12, 14 and 16 in column(1) and in its corresponding columns (2), (3) and (4), the following shall be inserted, namely,-

S. No	**Name of the post**	**Method of recruitment**	**Qualifications**
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
"3(c)	Deputy Chief Accounts Officer	By loan of service	Deputing from Government in T & A Department in the cadre of Joint Director /Deputy Secretary to Government in Finance Department in case where there is no qualified person available from Tirumala Tirupati Devasthanams service in the feeder category.
		By promotion	(i) Must be a Chartered Accountant or Cost Accountant (ii) Must have put in not less than five years of service as Accounts Officer or Accounts Officer (Cost Accounts).
12(a)	Assistant Accounts Officer	By Direct Recruitment	(i) Must be a graduate in Commerce with minimum of C.A. Inter (or) must be a Chartered Accountant (or) must be a Cost Accountant. (ii) Must not have completed thirty-four years of age subject to applicable relaxation from time to time.
		By promotion	By promotion from the cadre of Senior Accountant (i) Must have passed Accounts Test for Executive Officers (ii) Must have put in not less than seven years of service as Senior Accountant ***Note**: The ratio between Direct Recruitment & promotion to the post shall be 1:1

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14(a)	Senior Accountant	By Direct Recruitment	(i) Minimum First Class in M.Com (ii)Must Have passed in Tally or any equivalent Accounting package (iii) Must not have completed thirty four years of age subject to applicable relaxation from time to time.
		By Promotion	By Promotion from the cadre of Junior Accountant 1. Must have put in not less than five years of service as Junior Accountant. 2. Must have passed in Tally or any equivalent Accounting package. **Note:** Ratio between direct recruitment & promotion to the post shall be 1:3
16(a)	Junior Accountant	By Direct Recruitment	(i) Minimum First Class in B.Com., (ii) Must not have completed thirty four years of age subject to applicable relaxation from time to time."

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

ANIL KUMAR SINGHAL
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Commissioner of Printing, Stationery and Stores Purchase Department,
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